

15535 U.S. PTO  
10/660783  
09/12/03

ROBERT E. BUSHNELL\*†  
JOSEPH G. SEEGER\*  
DARREN R. CREW\*  
MATTHEW J. LESTINA†\*  
SARVADVINDER S. SAHOTA†\*  
JONG H. PARK†  
FRANK J. DYNDAL\*

OF COUNSEL  
RICHARD H. STERN\*

MICHAEL D. PARKER  
(REG. PATENT AGENT)

† ADMITTED IN MARYLAND  
° ADMITTED IN VIRGINIA  
+ ADMITTED IN PENNSYLVANIA  
‡ ADMITTED IN NEW YORK  
\* ADMITTED IN CONNECTICUT  
\* ADMITTED IN NEW JERSEY  
\* NOT ADMITTED IN D.C.

## R. E. BUSHNELL

ATTORNEY AT LAW

1522 K STREET, N.W., SUITE 300  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005-1202  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

12 September 2003

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

TELEPHONE (202) 408-9040

FACSIMILE (202) 289-7100

FACSIMILE (202) 628-3835

FACSIMILE (410) 747-0022

E-MAIL: REBUSHNELL@AOL.COM

- ☐ U.S. Postal Service  
☐ Via Local Courier  
☐ Via International Courier  
☐ Via Facsimile No. \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Via E-Mail Attachment  
☐ Please Acknowledge Receipt

### Mail Stop : Patent Application

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith is the following patent application:

**Inventor:** 1) WERNER HONEGGER

**Title:** A METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR PROCESSING AND  
SEPARATING AN IMBRICATE FORMATION OF FLEXIBLE,  
FLAT OBJECTS

Please find attached hereto an application for patent which includes: English language Specification and Abstract, Claims, formal drawings, and an original Declaration and Power of Attorney, Information Disclosure Statement, and Foreign priority document and claim of priority, identified below:

Verified Showing of Small Entity Status: **NO**

Drawings: Formal drawings, 3 sheets, Figures 1 through 6

Claim of priority under 35 U.S.C. §119: **YES**

\*\* Swiss Application No. 2002 1554/02 filed on 12 September 2002.

**FEE (see formula below): CHECKS ARE NOT ENCLOSED**

<b>Basic Fee</b> \$375/750 .....	<b>\$750.00</b>
<b>Additional Fees:</b>	
Total number of claims in excess of 20: __ times \$9/18 .....	<b>\$0.00</b>
Number of independent claims in excess of 3: __ times \$42/84 .....	<b>\$0.00</b>
Multiple Dependent Claims \$135/270 .....	<b>\$0.00</b>
An Assignment is likewise enclosed: Recording Fee \$40 .....	<b>\$0.00</b>
Filing Non-English specification .....	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FEES FOR THE ABOVE APPLICATION .....</b>	<b><u>\$750.00</u></b>

15535 U.S. PTO  
10/660783  
09/12/03

**Inventor:** 1) WERNER HONEGGER

**Title:** A METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR PROCESSING AND  
SEPARATING AN IMBRICATE FORMATION OF FLEXIBLE,  
FLAT OBJECTS

In view of the above, it is requested that this application be accorded a filing date pursuant to  
37 CFR 1.53(b).

Please address all correspondence to:

Robert E. Bushnell  
1522 K Street, N.W.  
Suite 300  
Washington, D.C. 20005

Respectfully submitted,



Robert E. Bushnell  
(Registration No. 27,774)  
Payor No.: 008-439  
Attorney for the Applicant  
1522 K Street, N.W.  
Suite 300  
Washington, D.C. 20005

Telephone: (202) 408-9040  
Telefacsimile: (202) 289-7100

REB/rfc

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

WERNER HONEGGER

Serial No.: *to be assigned*

Examiner: *to be assigned*

Filed: September 12, 2003

Art Unit: *to be assigned*

For: *A METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR PROCESSING AND SEPARATING AN  
IMBRICATE FORMATION OF FLEXIBLE, FLAT OBJECTS*

**TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION**

**Mail Stop : Patent Application**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This transmittal accompanies an unexecuted Declaration for the above-captioned application.

An executed Declaration will be filed upon receipt of the Serial number for the above-captioned application.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert E. Bushnell,  
Attorney for the Applicant  
Registration No.: 27,774

Suite 300, 1522 "K" Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20005  
(202) 408-9040

Folio: P56949  
Date: 9/12/03  
I.D.: REB/rfc